14. Use of Doordarshan | AIR | Press jfor giving wide publicity on road safety

15. Painting of bus boxes, yellow bo ses.

16. Special night checking on Highways.

17. Special Drive against buses, HTVs, TSRs, Taxis etc.

18. Painting competitions and other road safety activities are being organised by Road Safety Cell to inculcate the sense of road safety among various road users and children.

MOU with infrastructure leasing and financial services for the Panvel Bypass

364. SHRI SURESH KALMAD1: WiU the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a Memorandum of Understanding hag been signed between the Ministry of Surface Transport and Infrastructure Leasing and Financial Services for the Panvel Bypass project near Bombay; and

(b) if so, what are the details there, of?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYT-LER): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The project will consist, inter-alia, of the following:

(i) Construction of a 4-lane divided road between km 115/800 at Kalamboli junction and km 104/500 at Shedung junction with suitably designed junctions at either end and in between;

(ii) a railway over-bridge at the railway crossing as part of the bypass;

(iii) Construction of bridges across river Gadhi, Kirki and Had;

(iv) Construction of one flyover (interchange) at Kalamboli junc-> tion; and

(v) Roadside plantation and provision of a toll plaza etc.

Construction and repairs of bridges ou the Naional Highway in Gujarat

365. SHRI RAMSINH RATHWA: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to review the works relating to cons-trutcion and repairs of the bridges on the National Highways in Gujarat;

(b) if so, what are the names of the bridges for which the review of the works relating to their eonsruetion and repairs has been made during the last three years and the details of shortcomings found therein;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) what action has been taken by Government against the guilty officials?

THE MTNISTER OF STATE: OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYT-LER): (a) Review of works relating to construction and repairs of bridges on all the National Highways including those in Gujarat is being done every year.

(b) the number of bridges If or which review of the work relating to their construction and repairs has been made during the last three years is/as under: —

No shortcomings have come to notice in the course of the such reviews.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.

Year	Number of individual bridge work reviewed
(1) 1990	33
(2) 1991	27
(3) 1992	26